

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 5, 2006 OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

A timely response to this Office Action, which had a three-month period for response, was due no later than January 5, 2007. A two-month extension resets this deadline to March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Thus, this response filed with a two-month extension. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.